## OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF LABOUR IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

### WORKING CLASS COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBER FOR BANGALORE CITY FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 1951.

**A Rise of 5·7 Points.**

The Working Class Cost of Living Index Figure for Bangalore City for the month of March 1951, works up to 341·3 points, thereby recording a rise of 5·7 points when compared with the previous month's figure.

(1) The Index Number of the Food Group increased by 9·0 points to 401·2 points owing to an increase in the prices of Raw rice, Boiled rice, Ragi, Bangalgram dhal, Blackgram dhal, Tur dhal, Greengrm, Coffee seeds, Vegetables, Gingelly oil, Groundnut oil, Cocoanut oil, Chillies.

(2) The Index Number of the Fuel and Lighting Group increased by 4·0 points to 284·0 points owing to an increase in the price of castor oil.

(3) The Index Numbers of the Clothing and the House Rent Groups have remained constant.

(4) The Index Number of the Miscellaneous Group increased by 3·3 points to 326·3 points owing to an increase in the prices of Supari, Beedies and Paper.

(Average prices from July 1935 to June 1936=100)

| Articles | Unit of quantity | Weight proportional to total expenditure | Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936 | February 1951 | March 1951 | Index Numbers: February 1951 | March 1951 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Food*— | | | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | | |
| Raw Rice | ... Seer Msr. | 14·0 | 0 2 2 | 0 7 7 | 0 8 0 | 350 | 369 |
| Boiled Rice | ... ,, | 22·6 | 0 2 3 | 0 7 7 | 0 8 0 | 337 | 356 |
| Ragi | ... ,, | 6·6 | 0 1 1 | 0 3 5 | 0 3 7 | 315 | 331 |
| Blackgram Dhal | ... ,, | 0·7 | 0 3 1 | 0 15 2 | 1 0 2 | 492 | 524 |
| Tur Dhal | ... ,, | 3·4 | 0 2 8 | 0 12 2 | 0 12 6 | 456 | 469 |
| Bengalgram Dhal | ... ,, | 1·4 | 0 2 11 | 0 12 5 | 0 12 6 | 426 | 426 |
| Avare Dhal | ... ,, | 0·6 | 0 2 7 | 0 14 2 | 0 14 0 | 548 | 542 |
| Greengram | ... ,, | 1·2 | 0 2 0 | 0 11 8 | 0 12 6 | 583 | 625 |
| Sugar | ... Seer Wt. | 1·9 | 0 1 4 | 0 4 6 | 0 4 6 | 338 | 338 |
| Jaggery | ... Viss | 1·9 | 0 3 6 | 0 12 9 | 0 12 9 | 364 | 364 |
| Coffee seeds | ... Seer Wt. | 1·4 | 0 3 11 | 1 3 1 | 1 6 3 | 487 | 568 |
| Meat | ... 2 lbs. Wt. | 7·2 | 0 7 0 | 2 0 0 | 2 0 0 | 457 | 457 |
| Curds | ... Seer Msr. | 1·9 | 0 1 7 | 0 8 0 | 0 8 0 | 505 | 505 |
| Milk | ... ,, | 6·1 | 0 3 7 | 0 10 8 | 0 10 8 | 298 | 298 |
| Ghee | ... ,, Wt. | 2·7 | 0 6 0 | 1 6 10 | 1 5 1 | 381 | 351 |
| Onions | ... Viss | 1·0 | 0 1 3 | 0 4 6 | 0 4 0 | 360 | 320 |
| Vegetables | ... ,, | 5·6 | 0 2 6 | 0 9 5 | 0 10 4 | 377 | 413 |
| Fruits | ... Dozen. | 0·9 | 0 2 0 | 0 7 6 | 0 6 7 | 375 | 329 |
| Gingelly Oil | ... Seer Wt. | 2·5 | 0 2 0 | 0 11 11 | 0 12 8 | 596 | 633 |
| Groundnut Oil | ... ,, Wt. | 0·4 | 0 1 8 | 0 10 4 | 0 10 5 | 620 | 625 |
| Salt | ... ,, Msr. | 1·1 | 0 1 3 | 0 1 5 | 0 1 4 | 113 | 107 |
| Cocoanut | ... Each | 1·0 | 0 1 0 | 0 5 3 | 0 5 8 | 525 | 567 |
| Tamarind | ... Viss | 0·9 | 0 3 3 | 1 0 10 | 0 15 0 | 518 | 462 |
| Chillies | ... ,, | 2·0 | 0 7 4 | 3 7 5 | 3 9 5 | 756 | 783 |
| Coriander | ... Seer Msr. | 0·3 | 0 1 5 | 0 15 5 | 0 14 6 | 1088 | 1024 |
| Garlic | ... ,, Wt. | 0·7 | 0 2 0 | 0 5 6 | 0 5 2 | 275 | 258 |
| Wheat Flour | ... ,, Wt. | 1·4 | 0 0 8 | 0 1 7 | 0 1 7 | 238 | 238 |
| Soji | ... ,, Msr. | 1·3 | 0 2 5 | 0 6 8 | 0 6 8 | 276 | 276 |
| Readymade coffee | ... Cup | 6·3 | 0 0 6 | 0 2 0 | 0 1 10 | 400 | 367 |
| **Total** | ... | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| | Index Number—All Food Articles | | | | ... | 392·2 | 401·2 |
| *Fuel and Lighting*— | | | | | | | |
| Firewood | ... Maund | 72·0 | 0 2 6 | 0 6 5 | 0 6 5 | 257 | 257 |
| Castor Oil | ... Seer Wt. | 7·7 | 0 1 11 | 0 13 1 | 0 14 1 | 683 | 735 |
| Kerosene Oil | ... Bottle | 16·0 | 0 2 1 | 0 3 6 | 0 3 6 | 168 | 168 |
| Match Boxes of 50 sticks. | ... Dozen | 4·3 | 0 2 6 | 0 9 0 | 0 9 0 | 360 | 360 |
| **Total** | ... ... | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| | Index Number—Fuel and Lighting | | | | | 280·0 | 284·0 |
| *Clothing*— | | | | | | | |
| Dhoties | Pair of 8 yards. | 14·6 | 2 0 9 | 7 9 10 | 7 9 10 | 372 | 372 |
| Coating | ... Yard | 22·5 | 0 5 6 | 0 15 3 | 0 15 3 | 277 | 277 |
| Shirting | ... ,, | 21·5 | 0 4 0 | 0 10 6 | 0 10 6 | 263 | 263 |
| Cloth for Pyjama, etc. | ,, | 3·0 | 0 4 0 | 0 13 8 | 0 13 8 | 342 | 342 |
| Saries | ... Each | 22·4 | 3 0 0 | 5 2 8 | 5 2 8 | 172 | 172 |
| Cloth for Jackets, etc. | Yard | 16·0 | 0 5 0 | 0 15 4 | 0 15 4 | 307 | 307 |
| **Total** | ... | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| | Index Number—Clothing | | | | | 271·1 | 271·1 |
| *House rent*— | | | | | | | |
| House rent | ... | 100·0 | 2 10 3 | 2 10 3 | 2 10 3 | 100 | 100 |
| | **Total** ... | 100·0 | | | | | |
| | Index Number—House Rent | | | | | 100·0 | 100·0 |

| Articles | Unit of quantity | Weight proportional to total expenditure | Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936 | February 1951 | March 1951 | Index Numbers: February 1951 | March 1951 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Miscellaneous—* | | | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | | |
| Shaving | ... 1 Shave | 13·0 | 0 1 0 | 0 2 0 | 0 2 0 | 200 | 200 |
| Washing soap | ... 1 Bar | 17·5 | 0 4 0 | 1 4 9 | 1 4 8 | 519 | 517 |
| Supari | ... Seer Wt. | 8·4 | 0 3 6 | 1 6 6 | 1 6 10 | 643 | 652 |
| Beedies | Bundle of 25 | 11·2 | 0 1 0 | 0 2 3 | 0 2 5 | 225 | 242 |
| Amusements | ... 1 Show | 8·4 | 0 2 0 | 0 5 0 | 0 5 0 | 250 | 250 |
| Medicine | Bottle of mixture | 8·3 | 0 4 0 | 0 7 0 | 0 7 0 | 175 | 175 |
| Education | ... ... | 5·0 | 0 2 0 | 0 5 0 | 0 5 5 | 250 | 271 |
| Flowers | One bunch | 5·7 | 0 0 6 | 0 1 0 | 0 1 0 | 200 | 200 |
| Household Necessaries | Seer Wt. | 22·5 | 0 5 0 | 0 15 0 | 0 15 0 | 300 | 300 |
| Total ... | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—Miscellaneous ... | | | | | | 323·0 | 326·3 |

| Groups | Weight proportional to total expenditure | Group Index Number: February 1951 | March 1951 |
|---|---|---|---|
| Food ... ... ... | 53·5 | 392·2 | 401·2 |
| Fuel and Lighting ... ... | 7·0 | 280·0 | 284·0 |
| Clothing ... ... ... | 13·8 | 271·1 | 271·1 |
| House Rent ... ... ... | 6·4 | 100·0 | 100·0 |
| Miscellaneous ... ... ... | 19·3 | 323·0 | 326·3 |
| Total ... | 100·0 | ... | ... |
| (Cost of Living Index Number) ... | ... | 335·6 | 341·3 |

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WORKING CLASS COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBER FOR KOLAR GOLD FIELD AREA FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 1951.

**A Rise of 11·8 points.**

The Cost of Living Index Figure for the Kolar Gold Filed Area for the month of March 1951 works up to 362·9 points, thereby recording a rise of 11·8 points when compared with the previous month's figure.

The Index Number of the Food Group increased by 15·2 points to 388·4 points, due to a rise in the prices of Rice, ragi, blackgram, dhal, bengalgram dhal, Jaggery, Coffee Seeds, Meat, Onions, Groundnut oil, Chillies, Coriander Garlic, Sojee and Vegetables.

An increase in the price of Castor oil has resulted in the rise of the Index Number of the Fuel and Lighting Group by 3·6 points to 374·3 points.

The Index number of the Clothing Groups has advanced by 0·3 point to 219·5 points owing to a rice in the price of shirting.

The Index number of the House Rent Group has remained constant.

The Index Number of the Miscellaneous Group has increased by 6·5 points to 361·2 points, due to a rise in the prices of Supari and Beedies.

(Average prices from July 1935 to June 1936=100)

| | Names of articles | | Unit of quantity | Weight proportional to total expenditure. | Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936 | February 1951 | March 1951. | Index Numbers: February 1951 | March 1951 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | *Food—* | | | | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | | |
| 1 | Rice | ... | Seer Measure | 3·5 | 0 2 0 | 0 7 7 | 0 8 0 | 379 | 400 |
| 2 | Boiled Rice | ... | ,, | 36·9 | 0 2 1 | 0 6 3 | 0 6 8 | 300 | 320 |
| 3 | Ragi | ... | ,, | 11·1 | 0 0 11 | 0 3 6 | 0 3 7 | 382 | 391 |
| 4 | Blackgram Dhal | ... | ,, | 0·4 | 0 2 11 | 0 15 9 | 1 0 0 | 540 | 549 |
| 5 | Tur Dhal | ... | ,, | 4·2 | 0 2 8 | 0 11 8 | 0 11 8 | 438 | 438 |
| 6 | Bengalgram Dhal | ... | ,, | 0·8 | 0 1 11 | 0 12 8 | 0 15 4 | 661 | 696 |
| 7 | Avare Dhal | ... | ,, | 0·6 | 0 2 1 | 0 15 8 | 0 15 7 | 752 | 748 |
| 8 | Greengram | ... | ,, | 0·6 | 0 1 11 | 0 12 0 | 0 12 0 | 626 | 626 |
| 9 | Sugar | ... | Seer wt. | 0·5 | 0 1 4 | 0 4 7 | 0 4 7 | 344 | 344 |
| 10 | Jaggery | ... | Viss | 2·8 | 0 3 3 | 0 12 8 | 0 13 0 | 390 | 400 |
| 11 | Coffee seeds | ... | Seer Wt. | 1·8 | 0 4 0 | 1 2 0 | 1 5 0 | 450 | 525 |
| 12 | Fish | ... | ,, | 2·1 | 0 3 6 | 0 12 0 | 0 12 0 | 343 | 343 |
| 13 | Meat | ... | 2 lbs. wt. | 9·0 | 0 8 0 | 1 9 9 | 1 10 0 | 322 | 325 |
| 14 | Milk | ... | Seer Measure | 2·8 | 0 3 3 | 0 8 0 | 0 8 0 | 246 | 246 |
| 15 | Curds | ... | ,, | 0·6 | 0 2 0 | 0 4 0 | 0 4 0 | 200 | 200 |
| 16 | Onions | ... | Viss | 0·8 | 0 1 4 | 0 4 11 | 0 5 0 | 369 | 375 |
| 17 | Ghee | ... | Seer Msr. | 1·1 | 0 6 0 | 0 12 0 | 0 12 0 | 200 | 200 |
| 18 | Gingelly Oil | ... | ,, | 3·2 | 0 2 0 | 0 12 3 | 0 12 0 | 613 | 600 |
| 19 | Cocoanut | ... | Each | 0·8 | 0 1 2 | 0 5 2 | 0 5 2 | 443 | 443 |
| 20 | Groundnut Oil | ... | Seer wt. | 0·6 | 0 1 7 | 0 9 8 | 0 9 9 | 611 | 616 |
| 21 | Salt | ... | Seer Measure | 1·3 | 0 1 2 | 0 1 3 | 0 1 3 | 107 | 107 |
| 22 | Chillies | ... | Viss | 4·0 | 0 7 8 | 3 13 0 | 4 1 2 | 796 | 850 |
| 23 | Tamarind | ... | ,, | 1·4 | 0 2 7 | 0 12 3 | 0 12 1 | 474 | 468 |
| | Coriander | ... | Seer Measure | 1·2 | 0 1 4 | 0 14 6 | 0 15 10 | 1088 | 1188 |
| | Garlic | ... | Seer wt. | 0·6 | 0 2 0 | 0 4 0 | 0 4 3 | 200 | 213 |
| | Sojee | ... | Seer Measure | 0·3 | 0 2 5 | 0 8 0 | 0 8 6 | 331 | 352 |
| 27 | Vegetables | ... | Viss | 3·8 | 0 3 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 10 7 | 333 | 353 |
| 28 | Ready Made Coffee | ... | Cup | 3·2 | 0 0 6 | 0 1 3 | 0 1 3 | 250 | 250 |
| | Total | | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| | Index Number—Food Articles | | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 373·2 | 388·4 |

| Name of articles | Unit of quantity | Weight proportional to total expenditure | Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936 | February 1951 | March 1951 | Index Numbers: February 1951 | March 1951 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | | |
| ***Fuel and Lighting—*** | | | | | | | |
| 1 Firewood ... | Maund | 75·1 | 0 2 0 | 0 8 0 | 0 8 0 | 400 | 400 |
| 2 Castor Oil ... | Seer wt. | 7·8 | 0 2 3 | 0 12 0 | 0 13 0 | 533 | 578 |
| 3 Kerosene Oil ... | Bottle | 12·1 | 0 2 3 | 0 3 3 | 0 3 3 | 144 | 144 |
| 4 Match box of 50 sticks. | Dozen | 5·0 | 0 3 9 | 0 8 6 | 0 8 6 | 227 | 227 |
| Total ... | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—Fuel and Lighting | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 370·7 | 374·3 |
| ***Clothing—*** | | | | | | | |
| 1 Dhoties ... | Pair of 8 yards. | 9·3 | 2 1 0 | 6 4 3 | 6 4 3 | 304 | 304 |
| 2 Cloth for Pyjama, etc. | Yard | 1·7 | 0 4 4 | 0 12 6 | 0 12 6 | 288 | 283 |
| 3 Coating ... | ,, | 20·4 | 0 6 5 | 0 15 1 | 0 15 1 | 235 | 235 |
| 4 Shirting ... | ,, | 14·7 | 0 5 0 | 0 9 9 | 0 9 10 | 195 | 1 7 |
| 5 Saries ... | Each | 39·4 | 3 3 0 | 5 12 6 | 5 12 6 | 181 | 181 |
| 6 Cloth for jackets, etc.... | Yard | 14·5 | 0 5 3 | 0 13 10 | 0 13 10 | 261 | 263 |
| Total ... | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—Clothing | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 219·2 | 219·5 |
| ***House Rent—*** | | | | | | | |
| 1 House Rent ... | | 100·0 | 0 10 9 | 0 10 9 | 0 10 9 | 100 | 100 |
| Total ... | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—House Rent | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 100·0 | 100·0 |
| ***Miscellaneous.—*** | | | | | | | |
| 1 Barber ... | One shave | 14·5 | 0 1 0 | 0 2 0 | 0 2 0 | 200 | 200 |
| 2 Soap for washing ... | One Bar | 20·0 | 0 4 3 | 1 5 0 | 1 5 0 | 494 | 494 |
| 3 Soapnut powder .. | Seer wt. | 5·2 | 0 1 1 | 0 5 0 | 0 5 0 | 462 | 462 |
| 4 Supari ... | ,, | 14·1 | 0 3 3 | 1 7 3 | 1 7 10 | 715 | 733 |
| 5 Beedies ... | Bundle of 25. | 15·7 | 0 1 0 | 0 2 0 | 0 2 3 | 200 | 225 |
| 6 Travelling expenses ... | ..... | 6·7 | 0 4 2 | 0 4 2 | 0 4 2 | 100 | 100 |
| 7 Flowers ... | 1 Bunch | 3·9 | 0 0 6 | 0 1 6 | 0 1 6 | 300 | 300 |
| 8 Amusements ... | 1 Show | 8·1 | 0 2 0 | 0 4 0 | 0 4 0 | 200 | 200 |
| 9 Charges for grinding ... | 2 Seers. | 6·1 | 0 0 2 | 0 0 6 | 0 0 6 | 300 | 300 |
| 10 Household necessaries. | Seer wt. | 5·7 | 0 5 0 | 0 15 7 | 0 15 7 | 312 | 312 |
| Total ... | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—Miscellaneous | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 354·7 | 361·2 |

| Groups | Weight proportional to total expenditure | Index Number: February 1951 | March 1951 |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Food ... | 70·9 | 373·2 | 388·4 |
| 2 Fuel and Lighting ... | 6·2 | 370·7 | 374·3 |
| 3 Clothing ... | 9·1 | 219·2 | 219·5 |
| 4 House Rent ... | 2·1 | 100·0 | 100·0 |
| 5 Miscellaneous ... | 11·7 | 354·7 | 361·2 |
| Total ... | 100·0 | .. | ... |
| (Cost of Living Index Figure) ... | | 351·1 | 362·9 |

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## WORKING CLASS COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBER FOR MYSORE CITY FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 1951.

**A Rise of 8·5 points.**

The Working Class Cost of Living Index Figure for Mysore City for the month of March 1951 works up to 335·7 points, thereby recording a rise of 8·5 points when compared with the previous month's figure.

1. The Index Number of the food group increased by 9·9 points to 386·7 points, due to an increase in the prices of Raw Rice, Ragi, Tur dhal, avare dhal, greengram, Coriander, wheat, vegetables, Chillies, Coffee Seeds, Groundnut oil, and cocoanut.

2. The Index Number of the Fuel and Lighting Group increased by 1·2 points to 246.5 points due to an increase in the price of castor oil.

3. The Index Number of the Clothing Group increased by 11·8 points to 240.9 points, due to an increase in the prices of cloth for Jokets and Sarees.

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4. The Index Number of the House Rent Group has remained constant.

5. The Index Number of the Miscellaneous Group increased by 7·5 points to 287·5 points to an increase in the prices of Washing Soap, Supari, Soapnut powder and Beedies

(Average prices from July 1935 to June 1936=100).

| Names of the Articles | Unit of quantity | Weight proportional to total expenditure | Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936 | February 1951 | March 1951 | Index Numbers: February 1951 | March 1951 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Food*— | | | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | | |
| 1 Raw Rice ... | Seer measure | 23·4 | 0 2 0 | 0 6 11 | 0 7 4 | 346 | 367 |
| 2 Ragi ... | ,, | 17·7 | 0 1 2 | 0 3 6 | 0 3 7 | 300 | 307 |
| 3 Tur Dhal ... | ,, | 5·5 | 0 2 9 | 0 11 10 | 0 12 0 | 430 | 436 |
| 4 Avare Dhal ... | ,, | 1·7 | 0 2 1 | 0 12 7 | 0 13 3 | 604 | 636 |
| 5 Bengalgram Dhal | ,, | 1·6 | 0 2 0 | 0 13 7 | 0 13 7 | 679 | 679 |
| 6 Greengram ... | ,, | 1·5 | 0 1 10 | 0 11 7 | 0 13 0 | 632 | 709 |
| 7 Salt .. | ,, | 1·1 | 0 1 3 | 0 1 8 | 0 1 8 | 133 | 133 |
| 8 Coriander ... | ,, | 1·8 | 0 1 3 | 0 14 3 | 0 14 10 | 1140 | 1187 |
| 9 Milk ... | ,, | 3·9 | 0 4 0 | 0 6 5 | 0 6 5 | 160 | 160 |
| 10 Curds ... | ,, | 2·8 | 0 2 0 | 0 3 0 | 0 3 0 | 150 | 150 |
| 11 Wheat ... | ,, | 1·2 | 0 2 3 | 0 6 7 | 0 6 8 | 293 | 296 |
| 12 Meat ... | 2 lbs. wt. | 10·3 | 0 8 0 | 2 4 0 | 2 4 0 | 450 | 450 |
| 13 Vegetables ... | Viss | 5·3 | 0 2 8 | 0 11 4 | 0 11 6 | 425 | 431 |
| 14 Onions ... | ,, | 1·8 | 0 1 6 | 0 5 7 | 0 5 4 | 372 | 356 |
| 15 Jaggery ... | ,, | 1·5 | 0 4 4 | 0 12 6 | 0 12 6 | 288 | 288 |
| 16 Chillies ... | ,, | 3·4 | 0 7 6 | 3 8 5 | 3 9 6 | 752 | 767 |
| 17 Tamarind ... | ,, | 1·0 | 0 2 9 | 0 13 3 | 0 12 9 | 482 | 464 |
| 18 Sugar ... | Seer wt. | 1·6 | 0 1 4 | 0 4 7 | 0 4 7 | 344 | 344 |
| 19 Coffee seeds ... | ,, | 2·0 | 0 5 1 | 0 14 8 | 0 15 0 | 289 | 295 |
| 20 Ghee ... | ,, | 1·5 | 0 6 9 | 0 12 8 | 0 13 2 | 188 | 195 |
| 21 Groundnut oil ... | ,, | 1·2 | 0 1 4 | 0 9 7 | 0 9 8 | 719 | 725 |
| 22 Garlic ... | ,, | 0·6 | 0 2 0 | 0 4 7 | 0 4 6 | 229 | 225 |
| 23 Cocoanut ... | Each | 1·3 | 0 1 2 | 0 5 7 | 0 5 9 | 479 | 493 |
| 24 Ready made coffee | Cup | 6·3 | 0 0 9 | 0 1 5 | 0 1 5 | 189 | 189 |
| Total ... | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—All Food Articles ... | | ... | ... | ... | ... | 376·8 | 386·7 |
| *Fuel and Lighting*— | | | | | | | |
| 1 Firewood ... | Maund | 84·0 | 0 2 3 | 0 5 6 | 0 5 6 | 244 | 244 |
| 2 Kerosene Oil ... | Bottle | 10·8 | 0 2 4 | 0 3 6 | 0 3 6 | 150 | 150 |
| 3 Castor Oil ... | Seer wt. | 2·8 | 0 2 3 | 0 14 2 | 0 15 2 | 630 | 674 |
| 4 Matches (50 sticks). | Dozen | 2·4 | 0 3 4 | 0 9 0 | 0 9 0 | 270 | 270 |
| Total ... | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—Fuel and Lighting | | ... | ... | ... | ... | 245·3 | 246·5 |
| *Clothing*— | | | | | | | |
| 1 Dhoties ... | Pair | 8·1 | 2 1 9 | 6 2 0 | 6 2 0 | 290 | 290 |
| 2 Coating .... | Yard | 21·6 | 0 6 1 | 1 1 7 | 1 1 7 | 289 | 289 |
| 3 Shirting ... | ,, | 18·3 | 0 4 3 | 0 10 7 | 0 10 7 | 249 | 249 |
| 4 Cloth for Pyjama, etc. | ,, | 4·8 | 0 4 11 | 0 13 1 | 0 13 1 | 266 | 266 |
| 5 Cloth for Jackets, etc. | ,, | 12·0 | 0 5 4 | 0 13 0 | 0 15 1 | 244 | 283 |
| 6 Saries ... | Each | 35·2 | 4 7 0 | 7 0 0 | 7 14 5 | 158 | 178 |
| Total ... | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—Clothing ... | | ... | ... | ... | ... | 229·1 | 240·9 |
| *House Rent*— | | | | | | | |
| 1. House rent ... | | 100·0 | 1 7 2 | 1 7 2 | 1 7 2 | 100 | 100 |
| Total ... | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—House rent ... | | ... | ... | ... | ... | 100·0 | 100·0 |
| *Miscellaneous*— | | | | | | | |
| 1 Barber ... | One shave | 12·2 | 0 1 0 | 0 2 0 | 0 2 0 | 200 | 200 |
| 2 Washing Soap ... | Bar ... | 11·7 | 0 4 0 | 1 4 0 | 1 4 4 | 500 | 508 |
| 3 Soapnut powder ... | Viss ... | 5·4 | 0 6 2 | 1 4 0 | 1 4 8 | 324 | 335 |
| 4 Supari ... | Seer wt.... | 11·2 | 0 3 5 | 1 5 7 | 1 6 7 | 632 | 661 |
| 5 Beedies .... | Bundle of 25 | 33·6 | 0 1 0 | 0 2 0 | 0 2 1 | 200 | 208 |
| 6 Amusements ... | One show | 11·5 | 0 2 0 | 0 3 0 | 0 3 0 | 150 | 150 |
| 7 Subscriptions ... | ... | 9·4 | 0 11 0 | 0 11 0 | 0 11 0 | 100 | 100 |
| 8 Charges for grinding | Seer measure | 5·0 | 0 0 1 | 0 0 3 | 0 0 3 | 300 | 300 |
| Total ... | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—Miscellaneous ... | | ... | ... | ... | ... | 280·0 | 287·5 |

| Groups | | Weights proportional to total expenditure | Group Index Numbers | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | February 1951 | March 1951 |
| 1 Food | ... | 62·5 | 376·8 | 386·7 |
| 2 Fuel and Lighting | ... | 9·4 | 245·3 | 246·5 |
| 3 Clothing | ... | 8·0 | 229·1 | 240·9 |
| 4 House Rent | ... | 3·3 | 100·0 | 100·0 |
| 5 Miscellaneous | ... | 16·8 | 280·0 | 287·5 |
| Total | ... | 100·0 | ... | ... ... |
| Cost of Living Index Number | ... | ... | 327·2 | 335·7 |

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## OFFICE OF THE ADDITIONAL DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 12th April 1951.

**No. D5-43—50-51.** Arrangements are made to train Lady Candidates in Tailoring in the Sri Jayachamarajendra Occupational Institute, Bangalore. Applications from candidates with full details, *viz.*—

1. Father's name and present annual income
2. Religion and caste
3. Age
4. Educational qualifications
5. Testimonials and
6. Full address

should reach this office not later than 15th May 1951.

Fifteen candidates will be selected. The selected candidates for training will be granted a scholarship of Rs. 25 each per month for a period of one year. The minimum qualification required of the candidate is a pass in the Middle School Examination.

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## OFFICE OF THE CHIEF MARKETING OFFICER IN MYSORE, 'APEX BANK' BUILDINGS, BANGALORE.

Memo dated 17th April 1951.

**No. M.D.H. 8—51-52.** The time limit already prescribed in this Office Memo of even number dated 21st March 1951 for registering traders in the Regulated Market at Tumkur is hereby extended up to 1st May 1951.

The Traders are therefore requested to get themselves registered as such on or before the said date by means of an application in writing to the undersigned and paying a sum of Rs. 45 and also executing such agreement as may be determined by the undersigned.

Any application received after 1st May 1951 will not be considered and the time-limit prescribed above will not be extended any further.

The Traders are further intimated that the constitution of the Market Committee will not be put off any further and that the elections will be proceeded with after the said date as per Calendar of Events issued separately and the Traders who do not enrol themselves will not be entitled to vote in the ensuing election and also conduct their business after the inauguration of the Market,

All applications for registration should invariably contain the following information also, so as to facilitate the inclusion of the same in the Traders Voters' List :—

1 Name of the person authorised to vote.... .....
2 His Surname, if any ... .....
3 His Father's Name ... .....
4 His Age ... .....
5 Place of residence ... .....

The fee prescribed above may be credited to the following head of account in their Taluk Treasury :—

(c) Other Deposits Accounts
Deposits of Local Funds
Market Committee Funds
(7) Tumkur.

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Memo dated 17th April 1951

**No. M.D.H. 3—51-52.** The time-limit already prescribed in this Office Memo of even number dated 24th March 1951, for registering the Traders in the Regulated Market at Arsikere is hereby extended up to 1st May 1951.

The Traders are therefore requested to get themselves registered as such on or before the said date by means of an application in writing to the undersigned and paying a sum of Rs. 45 and also executing such agreement as may be determined by the undersigned.

Any application received after 1st May 1951, will not be considered and the time-limit prescribed above will not be extended any further.

The Traders are further intimated that the constitution of the Market Committee will not be put off any further and that the elections will be proceeded with after the said date as per the Calendar of Events issued separately and the Traders who do not enrol themselves will not be entitled to vote in the ensuing election and also conduct their business after the inauguration of the Market.

All applications for registration should invariably contain the following information also, so as to facilitate the inclusion of the same in the Traders Voters' List :—

1 Name of the person authorised to vote ..... .....
2 His surname, if any ... ... ..... .....
3 His Father's name ... ... .....
4 His age ... ... ..... .....
5 Place of residence ... ... .....

The fee prescribed above may be credited to the following head of account in their Taluk Treasury :

(c) Other Deposits Accounts
Deposits of Local Funds.
Market Committee Funds.
(6) Arsikere

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**No. M. D. H. 3—51-52.** Under Rule 9 (1) of the Mysore Agricultural Produce Markets Rules, 1947, the Amildar, Arsikere is appointed as Supervising Officer for the election of representatives to the Market Committee at Arsikere from the Traders electorate. He is, for this purpose, empowered to receive nomination papers of the intending candidates for the election on the dates prescribed in the Calendar of events and to hear and decide all objections as per sub-section 4 of the Rule referred to above.

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**No. M.D.H. 8—51-52.** Under Rule 9 (1) of the Mysore Agricultural Produce Markets Rules, 1947, the Sub-Division Officer, Tumkur Sub-Division, Tumkur, is appointed as Supervising Officer for the election of representatives to the Market Committee at Tumkur from the Traders, Electorate. He is, for this purpose, empowered to receive nomination papers of the intending candidates for the election on the dates prescribed in the Calendar of Events and to hear and decide all objections as per sub-section 4 of the Rule referred to above.

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